

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2021

T: Can I fill in the missing punctuation?



# When do I need a capital letter?

- Capital letters are always used at the start of sentences.

Examples: **T**he girl walked through the beautiful forest.  
**A** school is a place of learning.  
**B**ananas grow on trees.



# When do I need a capital letter?

- Capital letters are used for proper nouns, which are naming words for people, places, days of the week and months of the year.

Examples: My birthday is in **J**une.

My best friend is called **S**ally.

I went to **S**pain on a holiday two years ago.

There is no school on **S**aturday.



# When do I need a full stop?

- Full stops are always used to show the end of sentences.

Examples: It was a foggy morning.

The man loudly slammed the door shut.

The ice cream was delicious.

# When do I need a question mark?

- Question marks are always used at the end of questions.

Examples: Where is my coat?

Please may I have a drink?

How are you feeling today?



# Today's Task

Read through the sentences and identify where there is missing punctuation. You may write or type your complete sentences. (There may be more than one mistake in each sentence).

Example:

the girl was dreaming of riding her bike.

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1. I like to play games with my brother charlie.
2. Why is the computing not working
3. would you like a biscuit
4. My uncle lives in a beautiful country called australia.
5. I'm looking forward to my birthday in march.
6. Jessica and george were baking a cake.
7. i love reading books before I go to bed
8. If today is Friday, tomorrow is saturday.

**The answers are available on the next slide for  
you to mark your work.**

## Answers

1. I like to play games with my brother **C**harlie.
2. Why is the computing not working?
3. **W**ould you like a biscuit?
4. My uncle lives in a beautiful country called **A**ustralia.
5. I'm looking forward to my birthday in **M**arch.
6. Jessica and **G**eorge were baking a cake.
7. **I** love reading books before I go to bed.
8. If today is Friday, tomorrow is **S**aturday.